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## POST OFFICE DIRECTORY

J. M. RUSSELL, POSTMASTER.  
H. T. BAKER, DEPUTY POSTMASTER.  
Office hours, week days, 10:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.

## COURT DIRECTORY.

Circuit Court.—Three sessions a year.—Third Monday in January, third Monday in May and third Monday in September.  
Circuit Judges.—H. C. Baker.  
Commonwealth's Attorney.—A. A. Huddleston.  
Sheriff.—J. W. Miller.  
Circuit Clerk.—J. P. Noel.

County Court.—First Monday in each month.  
Judge.—T. A. Murrell.  
County Attorney.—Jas. Garrett, Jr.  
Clerk.—T. R. Saults.  
Judge.—J. K. P. Conover.  
Assessor.—E. W. Burton.  
Surveyor.—R. T. McCallister.  
School Supt.—W. D. Jones.  
Comptroller.—C. M. Russell.

Circuit Court.—Regular court, second Monday in each month.  
Judge.—Jas. G. Eshel.  
Attorney.—Gordon Montgomery.  
Marshal.—G. T. Flowers, Jr.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY.

PRESBYTERIAN.  
BURNSVILLE STREET.—Rev. F. C. Clement, pastor. Services second and fourth Sunday in each month. Sunday School at 9 a. m. Every Sabbath. Preaching every Wednesday night.

METHODIST.  
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BAPTIST.  
GREENSBURG STREET.—Rev. J. P. Scherer, pastor. First and third Sunday in each month. Sunday School every Sabbath at 9 a. m. Preaching every Wednesday night.

CHRISTIAN.  
CAMPELLEVILLE PIKE.—Pastor. Services second and fourth Sunday in each month. Sunday School every Sabbath at 9 a. m. Preaching every Wednesday night.

LODGES.  
COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 96, P. M. A. M.—Regular meeting in their hall, over bank, on Friday night in each month. Good Templars, W. M. James Garrett, Jr., Secretary.

COLUMBIA CHAPTER, R. A. M. C. L.—Meetings first and third Sunday in each month. H. P. W. Bradshaw, Secretary.

THE Jack-of-all-Trades.

W. G. Ray is erecting a new dwelling. Miss Bertie Farris, of Cane Valley, was here last week looking over schools. Ed Pickett bought two mules of Geo. Hart for \$220.

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## Burton Captured.

Albert Burton, who murdered Marvin Conover, has been captured. The arrest was made in Tennessee, and the arresting parties are now enroute to Columbia with the fugitive. The party took dinner at Creelsboro this (Tuesday) and are expected to arrive here at 5 p. m.

CLOYS LANDING John Huddleston and Will Jarvis, of Burkesville, and Moses Cary, of Black's Ferry, are all candidates for Jailor of this county, subject to the action of the Republican party. Wm. Lee, the present Jailor, has announced for Assessor.

C. J. Clark and C. R. Hicks are candidates for County Attorney. Clark is holding that office by appointment.

The large line is taking off from the field at the rate of 1,000 barrels a week. This is but a small fraction of the production. There are now over 150,000 barrels of oil stored in tanks on the case of veterans of the war of 1812 and of the Mexican war, it has said so distinctly. When it provided in the Dependence Pension Act of 1890 that veterans of the civil war should be pensionable for disability from any cause, not a single member imagined that the mere chronological fact of reaching the age of sixty-two could ever be held to constitute such a disability. The Grand Army itself, with its patriotic cry for pension legislation, has always taken it for granted that its service-pension millennium would have to come through Congress, if at all.

Bob Armstrong has left his farm in care of J. L. Gittings and moved to the Standard Oil Company.

Mrs. Dan Cary is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Emile Schiller, of Waterville, who has measles.

T. J. Kervin, of Chattanooga, was here last week looking over the oil field.

Walter Goff, who is employed by the Standard Oil Co., got his hand badly hurt last week.

HOLLINGSBURG. J. H. Paxton, who has been sick several weeks, has about recovered.

Kindred McManis was kicked by a mule last Monday and was badly hurt. Bertha, a little daughter of W. L. Gains, is quite sick.

Will Moore sold a horse to W. P. Parsons for \$75.

The frost on the night of the 2nd damaged the peach crop considerably. Miss Myrtle Howard and Myrtle Heizer, who are attending school at Columbia, visited their parents here last week.

Dr. T. H. Heizer, of Baltimore, Ohio, is visiting relatives here.

R. W. Coffey has removed to B. A. Lowe's farm near Gretna.

A. W. Howard sold a horse to Aaron Darnell for \$110.

Mrs. G. H. Walker has been very sick, but is better at this writing.

OSAZA. W. G. Ray is erecting a new dwelling.

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We were all sorry to hear of the death of Deputy Jailor Conover.

Prayer meeting at Clear Spring the first and second Sunday evenings in each month.

F. V. Grissom, of Columbia, called on our merchants last week.

Alexander Murrell, who went to Indiana a few days ago has returned home.

Mrs. Joe Young, Cumberland county, is visiting her son, Mr. R. K. Young, this county.

M. W. Brockman, who was indicted about one year ago for passing counterfeit money, was tried in the Federal Court in Little Rock, Ark., last week and sentenced to five years imprisonment.

WHAT THE DEMOCRATS MUST DO In 1900, there were 447 votes in the electoral college. Of these the republicans had 272 and the democrats 125, a republican majority of 137. The states that went republican in 1900 have gained nineteen electoral votes. If the democrats should, in 1904, carry only the same states they did in 1900, the republican majority in the electoral college would be 140, instead of 137.

The number of electoral votes necessary to the election of a president is 270. Counting Maryland and Mississippi, the south will have 150 votes in the next electoral college, which is 80 short of the necessary majority. New York has 39 votes, New Jersey 12 and Connecticut 7—a total of 56. These added to 150 make 217, or 22 less than the 239. Add the 4 votes of Colorado, the 3 votes of Idaho, the 3 votes of Montana and the 3 votes of Nevada—13 in all—which the democrats carried in 1900 and add 1 vote to Colorado for increase in population, making 140, 140 to the 217, and the total is 237, or 8 votes less than the necessary majority. Hence, if the democrats carry all the states they did in 1900 and New York, New Jersey and Connecticut besides, they will be short 8 votes.

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It is only by experience that we learn the much dreaded duty which comes with the bright spring days and the falling of the leaves in the beautiful autumn. It is a necessity in every home, and where one is young and has to make a beginning the road is rough and when I can help them with my own I try to do so. A reader of this journal asks me to plan the work for her—to tell her where to commence and where to stop. Having had long experience, I can safely advise her.

REPORT  
Made to the Comptroller of the Treasury of the Condition

AT COLUMBIA, IN THE STATE OF KENTUCKY, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, MARCH 26, 1904.

RESOURCES.  
Loans and discounts \$4,110 24  
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 1,000 00  
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 10,500 00  
U. S. Bonds— 1,011 27  
Bills, securities, etc. 8,625 00  
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures 5,000 00  
Due from National Banks, (not insured) 3,200 85  
Cheques and other cash items 12,000 00  
Due from approved reserve agents 17,267 45  
Cheques and other cash items 1,000 00  
Notes of other National Banks 1,000 00  
Fractional paper currency, gold, silver, and coins 42 00

Legal-tender notes 3,400 00  
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury 5,000 00  
Total \$48,500 91

LIABILITIES.  
Capital stock paid in 25,000 00  
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 325 74  
National Bank notes outstanding 10,500 00  
Due to other National Banks 420 00  
Individual deposits subject to check 51,177 45  
Liabilities over and above above stated—profit and loss 16 80  
Total \$48,500 91

W. A. COFFEY, N. F. A. C. K. Y.  
Comptroller expires January 30, 1904.

TOLD BY MR. GILBERT.  
Congressman Gilbert the other day utilized in Congress a story which is a great favorite word of Mason and Dixon's line in explaining to the members the difference between a Democrat and a Republican in the matter of treating negroes. He related the story as follows:

"A few days ago a colored man from my county was in prison, hunting for employment. He failed to find any thing to do, and was compelled to beg something to eat. A knock at the door of the house brought a well-dressed man to the door who said in reply to a request for a hand-out: 'My dear sir, I am sorry, but I can give you nothing to eat.'"

"The negro called at a number of houses and was received with the same politeness, but got nothing to eat. In despair he approached one more house, promising himself that he would lie down and die rather than push his search for food further in case the master turned him away. The door opened with a jerk, and before he had finished his appeal for food the white master of the house exclaimed: 'You black rascal! What do you mean by coming to my front door? Huddle around the kitchen and get your breakfast!'"

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A few days ago we received an order from a Lincoln county merchant for stationery, stating that since our representative called he had discovered his need of letter-heads and envelopes. We wrote him for information regarding quality of goods, prices, etc. Also suggested that he must be mistaken as to name of representative and the firm he represented. We have received his reply in which he states that the party who called claimed to represent this office and gave his name as Cook. The prices made by this man were far below customary prices of reliable job-houses and unjust to local printers in whose section such propositions are made, and if any thing but cheap goods should be used would result in loss to the firm producing it. We desire every body to know, and especially honorable competition, that The News does not seek business under the dark lantern method; that it deals fairly with its competitors and sells its goods on merit. The representative who sought the order above referred to, claimed that he could beat Walton's prices. The Interior Journal and The Adair County News are competitors in certain territory, but they are on the most friendly terms and seek business by fair and honorable methods. The News is not willing to destroy fair and equitable prices, already brought to the lowest mark by honorable firms, to gain an advantage over a competitor. It refuses to plunge the dagger into a business to collect a few crumbs that might otherwise drift away. We want business but at living prices, and if we fail to get it then we hope that those who do may receive a just reward for their labors. Mr. C. H. Murrell is the only gentleman who travels for The News and he has never been in Lincoln county soliciting job-work.

The Census Bureau has just issued a bulletin which gives the estimated population of the United States for 1903, exclusive of Alaska and the insular possessions, at 79,900,389. This is an increase of 3,995,311, since the census of 1900. The population is estimated for 438 cities giving 10,000 or more inhabitants in 1900. According to these estimates New York is now a city of 3,716,139 inhabitants; Chicago is rapidly approaching the two million mark, having 1,873,230 inhabitants; Philadelphia has 1,367,719; St. Louis has just passed the 600,000 mark and Boston has almost reached it. Baltimore has 631,313. Cleveland is now a considerable distance ahead of Cincinnati, which cities have 414,950 and 332,934, respectively. Buffalo, San Francisco, Pittsburgh, Detroit, Milwaukee and New Orleans have all greatly increased their populations.

In the United States District Court at St. Louis Judge Adams overruled the motion of Senator J. R. Burton's attorneys for a new trial and sentenced Burton to six months in jail, and imposed a fine of \$2,500. Burton was charged with accepting a bribe, and the Judge said the verdict was warranted by the evidence.

There has been another assassination in Breathitt county. This time James Johnson, who was a nephew of the lamented J. B. Marcum, was shot from ambush by Jack Spicer. Spicer has been captured. He should not be tried in Breathitt county where the Hargies and Callahans hold sway.

The Hearst crowd failed to get in much work at the Kansas Democratic State Convention. They only secured six delegates out of twenty.

The St. Louis Attorney, Folk, who is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor is gaining as the days go by despite the combined opposition of three other prominent Democratic candidates. Mr. Folk has unearthed more political trickery and corruption and has prosecuted it more successfully than any other officer in all the country. By his record he has won the great common people, but has set the power of fraud and deception against him. No man doubts his courage or ability and every one who believes in a faithful, honest accounting of public officials should rally to his aid. The fight is one for honest government, for the overthrow of corruption, and the people of other States are watching the battle, the result of which may have a salutary effect on other Commonwealths and also on our Federal Government. The last week's primaries and conventions in several counties show the strength of Folk to be much stronger than had been conceded and clearly indicates that he will be the nominee unless the boot-lickers are more successful in managing the counties yet to cast their votes. It is a fight to the finish and here's hoping that the game attorney will be the next Governor of that great Democratic State that stands fifth in population and wealth and first in its efforts to expel bootlickers from positions of public trust.

The race between Senator Bate and Gov. McMillin, for U. S. Senator, in "Sunny" Tennessee, is being settled by county primaries and at this hour the Governor, seems to be far in the lead. They are both good men, true to their party and loyal to their State.

**GRADYVILLE.**  
Rev. A. L. Mell and Geo. W. Flowers spent Thursday at Portland.  
Mrs. Sue Grissom and her daughter, Miss Lena, spent Saturday night with Mrs. W. M. Wilmore.

Mr. Folk Mitchell and wife, of Edmonson, spent Saturday night at W. W. Yates'.

Mrs. Charlotte Patterson, of Breeding, is visiting her nephew, G. H. Nell. Smith & Nell spent Monday in Metcalfe county receiving hogs at the market price.

J. J. Hunter returned from Louisville Friday.

The tobacco in this section has all been sold and our farmers are preparing for a much larger crop.

Geo. T. Flowers and his son, Lee, spent part of last week fishing.

Prof. G. B. Yates and Willie Hill were in Columbia Friday.

Miss Anna Stalla, of Columbia, accompanied Miss Mollie Flowers home Friday.

Rev. James Debord will preach at Morris chapel on the third Sunday afternoon, on the subject of baptism.

Rev. A. L. Mell is visiting his mother at Jeffersontown.

Mrs. G. W. Spillman has at this time 175 young chickens. Who can beat that?

Meddames H. C. and J. D. Walker spent Thursday with Mrs. G. Whit Flowers, at Bliss.

G. H. Nell, the well-known stock man, will erect a new dwelling this spring.

Mrs. J. W. Walker and Mrs. James Debord were on the sick list last week.

Mrs. Julia Baker, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. Mill, at Liletown, has returned to our town.

G. T. Flowers, of Columbia, spent Saturday night with his father and mother in our city.

W. W. Yates was in Metcalfe county last week on business.

Misses Nina Hulse, Ella Bow, Mollie Flowers and Irene Yates, students of Columbia, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

A. B. Wilmore is having quite a large amount of state timber prepared for the market.

C. W. Sparks, the well-known merchant of Weed, made his regular trip to Horse Cave last week.

Mr. Willie Jones made a trip to Bakerton last Thursday. Mr. Jones says he is wonderfully pleased with that place.

Hunn & Myers, of Columbia, passed through here last week, enroute for Metcalfe county looking after horses.

Mr. Sam White, of Columbia, was here last week working insurance.

Dr. S. A. Taylor sold a combined horse to Mr. Chan. Yates for \$65.

family were visiting, or some one might have been hurt.  
Rev. A. L. Mell preached an interesting sermon to a large crowd at the M. E. Church last Sunday.  
Our doctors, preachers and merchants, done some farming last week during the nice sunshine.  
We are glad to note that we have been informed that the peach crop is not hurt and the prospects are flattering for a good crop of fruit.  
Strong Hill, P. V. Grissom and John Cook, commercial men, were here last week.  
Prof. G. B. Yates closed his school last week. He is one of best teachers and gave perfect satisfaction.

**CREELSBORO.**  
The ground is too wet to plow.  
Miss Ella Duval, of Gaylord, Kan., is visiting relatives here.

R. P. Buxton has been appointed as manager for the new distillery of Back & Smith.

T. M. Littrell and J. P. Neal, grocers, were here last week.

C. C. Buxton is making preparations to visit his son, Hoskin, at Straight Creek.

Mrs. Stella Ham, of Burnside, is visiting her father.

Mrs. Louis Ramsey returned home on the Str. Warren after a two week's visit to her sister, Mrs. J. E. Jones.

Our accommodating merchant, Mr. Wm. Higginbottom, who has been confined to his room for nearly six months, is now able to be at his place of business.

Mr. E. A. Rabon was at Glenfork Sunday.

It is rumored that a man filling the description of Albert Burton, wanted in Adair county for the murder of officer Conover, crossed the river at Whetstone, Ky., going in the direction of Tennessee.

During the last race in the river quite a large number of logs were started to Nashville.

The Wooster Oil & Gas Co., are again drilling after going through the recent storm that was so damaging to country in general. They had four newly built derricks blown to the ground.

Mrs. Emma Grider, who has been confined to her bed for some time, is improving.

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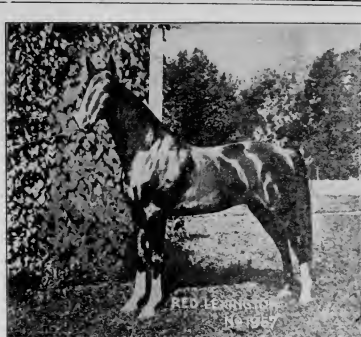
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## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. A. D. Coy was quite sick last week.

Miss Nellie Folia was on the sick list last week.

Mr. John D. Lowe was in Nashville, Tenn. last week.

Rev. W. C. Clemens has returned from Presbury.

Miss Lora West has been quite sick for several days.

Mr. J. Patterson has been on the sick list for several days.

Miss Susan Grissom, of Bliss, spent last week in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Sinclair have returned from Jellico, Tenn.

Dr. A. T. Jones, of Montpellier, spent Sunday night in Columbia.

Mrs. Susie Miller, wife of Dr. Sam Miller, is spending a few days in town.

Miss Mary Miller, who is in school here, has been quite sick for the past week.

Mr. H. H. Christie, merchant at Camp Knox, was here on business Monday.

Mr. J. G. Eubank spent several days of last week in the country hanging wall paper.

Mr. H. P. Willis and his daughter, Miss Estelle, visited in Greensburg last week.

Mr. M. H. Marcum, who was dangerously ill last week, has somewhat improved.

Mr. Claud Cullison, who was severely kicked by a mule a few days ago, is getting along all right and will soon be well.

Mr. J. J. Hunter, Gradyville, returned from the Louisville market last Thursday.

Mrs. C. H. Murrell and her daughter, Miss Katie, were on the sick list last week.

Mr. G. W. Thomas, the well-known shoe man, of Somerset, was here last Friday.

Mr. Chas. Jones, of Montpellier, returned to St. Mary's College last Monday.

Allen, a little son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Eubank, who has been quite sick, is better.

Misses Delle Mitchell and Carry B. Flowers were spending a few days in Columbia last week.

Mr. J. E. Snow, of Russell Springs, was in Columbia Saturday night on his return from Nashville.

Rev. A. L. Mott, of Gradyville, accompanied by Miss Lena Grissom, Bliss, visited Columbia last Monday.

Mr. J. W. Johnston, representing the Globe Tailoring establishment, Cincinnati, is at home for a few days.

Mr. C. C. Crick, wife and two daughters, Misses Ella and Flora, of East, were in Columbia Monday.

Mrs. Mary Harvey has been quite sick for several weeks. Last Friday she was compelled to dismiss her school.

Mr. J. A. Sheasler, representing the Inter-State Life Insurance Company of Indianapolis, is spending a few days in Adair county.

Mrs. F. M. Frazer, of Middleboro, is visiting relatives and her numerous friends in Columbia. Her little son, Frank, is with her.

Mr. S. W. Royce was in Columbia last Monday. He reported himself and neighbors in fine health and farm work progressing as rapidly as the weather would admit.

Master Mason Abner Jones, A. D. Patterson and W. S. Hart, of Jamestown, received the degrees in Columbia Chapter No. 7, last Friday afternoon and at night.

Mr. Piner Harvey, Jr., of Fair Play, Mt. Vernon for Louisville, where he will buy his stock of Spring goods. Mr. Harvey is a successful merchant and has a splendid patronage in his part of the county.

Mr. J. S. Breeding and wife and their youngest children will leave for Missouri about the first of May where they will spend the summer. Mrs. Breeding has been in poor health for some time and the trip will be made for her benefit.

Mr. Geo. Winfrey and wife, of St. Louis, Mo., are visiting relatives in Columbia. George left here about eight years ago, and at first located at Evansville, Ind. He subsequently accepted a position with a railroad company and for some time has been located in St. Louis. He left his old home a boy and returns to greet his former associates with the company of his home. It goes without saying that Mr. and Mrs. Winfrey's visit to Columbia will be made very pleasant.

## LOCAL JOTTINGS.

Geo. Monroe, an insurance agent, was landed in jail here Monday by the sheriff of Muhlenburg county. He is indicted in Adair for obtaining money under false pretenses.

If you intend teaching this year, brighten up on the studies embraced in the Public Schools. Take the Normal course at the Lindsay-Wilson School and fear not failure in the examination.

Mrs. Tim Bradshaw and daughter, Miss Effie, are now receiving their Spring millinery. They invite their friends to call and examine the latest designs in hats, bonnets, etc., satisfied that they can be pleased.

Born, to the wife of Dr. O. S. Dunbar, April 6, 1904, a daughter.

Any one having a good, gentle buggy horse for sale, see J. V. White.

The residents of Columbia are now busy putting in their gardens.

It is a violation of the law to kill a robin or any kind of a song bird.

The Green county grand jury returned 129 indictments. There are 38 for gaming.

Court of Claims adjourned last Friday morning. A great deal of business was transacted.

The Adair Circuit court commences the third Monday in May. The docket, it is said, will be unusually light.

Mr. J. E. Snow, of Russell Springs, has embarked in the undertaker's business. See his "ad" in to-day's paper.

On the first page of this paper can be found a statement of the condition of the First National Bank, this city.

Mr. Rufus Mathews, editor Taylor County Enquirer, has purchased new machinery and will enlarge his paper.

Mr. A. D. Coy will remove to the new residence owned by Mr. Jas. Garrett, Jr., as soon as the building is completed.

It begins to look like Albert Burton, who murdered Marvin Conover, has gone in a hole and pulled the hole in after him.

Mr. W. S. Dry, of Lincoln county, known to a great many Columbians, has been appointed a guard at the Frankfort penitentiary.

It is perhaps not known to many citizens of this county that Mr. Geo. J. Hart and family are now residents of Campbellville, having removed several weeks ago.

A party of raftsmen from Russell county reached Columbia last Saturday night. They had about one hundred popular and oak logs to Nashville, realizing good prices.

Mr. W. F. Owsley, of Burkesville, has sent his famous old show mare, "T-T" to Coffey Bros. to be bred to Red Lexington. This mare has been successfully shown throughout the United States.

The dwelling house owned and occupied by Mr. Ben Powell, near Joppat, this county, was destroyed by fire last Thursday afternoon. It was a small one, but the loss is several hundred dollars.

Mr. Frank Sinclair will begin the erection of a cottage the first of May, on the lot he recently purchased of Mr. Scott Montgomery. The location is just this side of the residence of Mr. C. T. Triplett.

We understand that people living on Green river will keep a sea watch this season, and if a dynamic bomb goes in the river the name of the man who placed it will be given to the next grand jury.

Mrs. Frances Jackson, wife of Prof. Parker and should it fail in the endeavor to raise chickens without the aid of an incubator. She has at this time 173 young chicks, and some of them are more than a month old.

While the meeting is in progress it might be well enough to remember and act upon the following thought: Sin is always a greater wrong to the sinner than any other. Righteousness is the only recommendation that goes to heaven.

The mud is fast disappearing from the public roads but one ought to mark the worst places and apply the stone next summer. Make some good road each year and not many years hence we could all see the good of such work.

There is a warm fight on among Republicans for Committee in the two Columbia precincts. The election will take place next Saturday. Both sides are active and it is expected that a large delegation of voters will be in town.

Hon. M. H. Rorer, of Middleboro, met with a very painful accident a short time since. He was descending a stairway and making a mistake, fell, and was considerably bruised. His relatives here are informed that he has about recovered.

EM. W. K. Ashby went to Frankfort a few days ago for the purpose of securing a charter for the interurban railroad to be built from this place to Lebanon. It is our understanding that matters are properly shaping themselves, and that a company will be organized in a very short time.

Spring, real Spring, in all of its beauty, is now breaking through the cold wave that so recently swept the entire country. The singing birds, growing grass and blossoming plants and trees bid man to rejoice and thank God for the blessings of the vernal period. It is the season that invigorates, gives life and courage. With the dull, disagreeable days of winter gone and the cheerful springtime giving forth the sweet odor of plants and flowers, every one ought to clear their premises of winter rubbish, whiten yard fences and leap pace with the season. Just think of blue grass fighting its way through dirty lawns and unprotected by rickety fences. The yard should be a place of beauty and not a pasture. The town council should remember that Spring is here.

## A SERIOUS ASSAULT.

We take the following from a Belgrade, Montana paper: Rev. R. C. Triplett, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, at Belgrade, was circulating a petition in his home town Wednesday, asking the county commissioners to order an election to submit the question of local option to the voters of the county. Rev. Tate, a saloon man of Belgrade, requested Triplett to give up the petition, and the question being refused, Tate struck the preacher several times, knocking him down. Wright, a man working at the Gallop mill, attempted to take Triplett's part, and he too was knocked down by Tate.

Triplett was brought to Boone man Wednesday evening and an examination showed that his jaw was broken. Dr. W. A. Tudor worked with him all night to set the fractured jaw and has been attending the man very closely. Wright is reported as being confined to bed by his injuries.

A warrant was issued for Tate's arrest on a charge of assault in the second degree. He was brought to Boone last evening by Deputy Sheriff McTaggart and on appearing before Judge Mehlberg on a charge of assault in the second degree, he took the statutory time and was placed under bond of \$1,200 pending a preliminary hearing of the case, which, however, may be taken directly into the district court on information prepared by County Attorney Pease.

It is said that Mr. Triplett is in a somewhat serious condition, surgical efforts so far having failed to properly reduce his fractured jaw.

## THE BRIDGE PROPOSITION.

Last week the people of Neotoma appeared before the Fiscal Court and asked for the building of a bridge across the river at that point. There were several short speeches made by citizens of the county and different parts of the county asking the court to consider this in the most favorable light and to build it if within its power. A proposition was made to contribute the right of way and to guarantee \$750 to aid in its building.

The court after due consideration rejected the proposition and tendered of its own to the people of that section as follows:

On condition that the right of way and \$1,200 are contributed we agree to build the bridge in the year of 1905, and this proposition holds the good until the April meeting of next year. The court realizes the importance of a bridge at that point, but after a careful summing up of conditions and a comparison of the aid offered with the amounts given by others for similar structures, decided that the county was not in condition to build this year or to accept so small a per cent. of its cost when other sections had contributed much more for such structures. Not willing to kill the proposition nor to discourage the people who are asking for this improvement they tendered the foregoing proposition which they believed to be reasonable and within the reach of a united effort.

We have no personal interest in this matter but feel that it would be a great blessing on the part of the people to allow it to fail. The proposition is a reasonable one and clearly within the reach of the people to be directly benefited and should it fail it would be a serious blow to that part of our country. Keep the faith, brace up your courage and renew your effort and you will be able to close the contract with the Fiscal court next fall.

## NOTICE.

Creelsboro, Ky., March 29, 1904. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of Manuel Sloan, will until the 15th day of May, 1904, hear proof of claims against said Sloan's estate. All claims must be presented in writing and verified by affidavits as required by law.

G. W. BLEDSOE, Administrator.

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W. S. GRIFIN, Cane Valley, Ky.

We have a crib of good corn for sale which will be disposed of every Saturday during the month of April, 1904, at \$2.20 per barrel, cash. The crib is located near the Little Lake church, on county road.

J. C. Breeding, J. H. Spicers.

Mrs. L. L. Eubank has accepted a position in Mr. W. L. Walker's store. She is a capable milliner and will make great pleasure in waiting upon ladies, and is now ready to show them the latest fashions in dress goods, ladies' furnishings, etc.

A good farm for sale cheap.

S. D. CHENSMAN, Columbia, Ky.

## PREACHING NEXT SUNDAY.

Z. T. Williams, Creelsboro. W. H. C. Sandiego, Union. A. H. Baugh, Pleasant Hill. G. W. Montgomery, Moreland. J. F. Barger, Union Chapel. F. E. Lewis, Columbia. A. L. Mott, Elroy. G. Lawless, Pleasant View. J. L. Atkins, Salem. T. Huffaker, Hutchinson School house. J. P. Scruggs, Columbia. J. F. Hopkins, Mintonville. W. G. Bradford, Middleboro. W. B. Cave, Big Creek.

A representative of this office spent several days of last week in Mintonville. He reports that the oil excitement is at fever heat, and that many new wells will be put down this Spring and Summer. There are many representatives of Eastern Oil companies now in Mintonville, and they freely express the opinion that Wythe county is a paying oil field. He found all classes of business on the increase and the town steadily growing. He further stated that his stay in Mintonville was exceedingly pleasant, and to all his old friends thanks are due for many courtesies shown.

The meeting at the Baptist church is growing in interest. Rev. Francis Taylor preaching strong and convincing sermons. At the evening service the church is crowded and the speaker is given the closest attention. Before beginning his discourse Rev. Taylor gives a Bible reading of fifteen minutes which is very helpful to the hearers in following his sermon. Already much interest is being manifested and it is predicted that the meeting will accomplish much good. The speaker is a Biblical scholar, and imparts information so plainly that a little child can understand.

The following is the weather prediction for this month. From the 11th to 15th it will be in evidence on the 11th, 12th and 13th. From the 15th to 17th it will be very warm, and tornado disturbances are to be apprehended. After behaving decently a day or two vicious hail and thunder storms will break out April 23 to 24. Frosts will follow. The month will close in a sharp storm period. Hacks want the people to watch the barometric conditions and storm developments at this time.

The Adair Fiscal court adjourned last Thursday after a three day session. Several claims were allowed. The court agreed to build a bridge across Green river at Neotoma in 1905 if the people would furnish a right of way and from bridge, a feet wide, and donate \$1200. Dr. Hindman was elected Jail Physician. The tax rate for the year was fixed as follows: \$1.50 per 100 and 17 1/2 cents for general purposes, 11 cents to pay for bridge built last year and 1 1/2 for road purposes.

If there is a desire to eradicate honey suckle and other obnoxious growths in the cemetery now is the proper time to do it. It should be taken up, not cut off. The destruction of honey suckle is not a big job, it only requires attention for about one year to get it all. Good work has already been done in the cemetery and it should be continued until put in first-class condition. No time equals spring for finding and destroying every trace of honey suckle.

Mr. N. M. Tutt, of this place, whom the people of Adair county will remember as a prosperous farmer in the days of "Ash Lang Spies," informs us that News that he grew and shipped the first hoghead of Burley tobacco from Adair county. It was put on the Louisville market and sold for \$9.00 per hundred.

You should subscribe for Gleaner News if you are interested in the cultivation of Gleaner. It will give you much valuable information on the subject. It costs only a year, 5 cents a copy. Published quarterly by Geo. E. Wilson, Cane Valley, Ky. Mention The Adair County News when writing. 1mo

Young & Company purchased of W. B. Morris and Elijah Burton, last week, 60,000 staves at an average of \$17.00 per thousand.

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We have an endless variety of Patterns to show you. In buying this line early we had the pick and cream of all that was out for this season. Call and we will convince you that you could have no better selection to buy from in any of the large cities. The new weaves in Madras, Oxford, Piques, Vestings, Linen Suitings, Danish Cloths, Home-spun Suitings, Chevots, Percales, Irish Linens, Parish Mousillins, Wash Chiffons, &c., are all beautiful.

## Woolen Dress Goods.

New Weaves in Voiles, Etamines, Plain Mohairs, Fleeced Mohairs, Granits, Flannel Waistings, &c.

## Skirts.

Special attention is called to our Tailored Skirts for ladies and misses, all the new clothes and styles. We can fit you nicely.

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A rich stock Silks, Medallions and Ornaments, an endless line of Fine Imported Laces, Hamburg, Nainsook and Swiss Edgings. YOU MUST NOT miss seeing this stock.

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We've everything you want in Muslin Underwear, Corset Covers, Corsets, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Purses, Lace Collars, Neckwear, Stick Pins, Brooches, Belts, Fans, Kid Gloves, Silk Gloves, &c.

## Linen Department.

The Russo Jap, war has advanced, Linens, our lines were bought before the advance. We have very cheap stocks in Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, Crashers, Linen Sheeting, Dutchers Linens, &c.

## Matings, Carpets, Rugs, Oil Cloths, Art Squares, Lace Curtains, Window Shades, Fixtures, Etc.

Our stock was never so large as for this Spring. Patterns in Matings, Brussels and Ingrain Carpets are first class.

## Clothing.

We have largely increased this department, and are showing Handsome things in Men's Tailor Made Suits, from \$10 to \$15. Young Men's and Boy's Suits, made by Custom Tailors. We carry no "sweat shop" or Auction Goods and can fit any size or shape.

## Shoes.

In this department we have by handling the best goods, outclassed all competitors. When you buy a Man or Ladies Shoe from us you may rest assured that you are getting the best quality and latest styles. We lead the procession on Footwear. Our Heilners Bettmann line of Men's Shoes and Oxfords, and our Krippendorf Dittmann Co's, make of Ladies' fine Shoes and Oxfords are simply unsurpassed. We have all the latest leathers and styles.

## Sewing Machines.

If you see our stock of Machines you would think we were in the sewing machine business. Well, we are, and we are determined to stop our people from being robbed by catalogue houses. We have sewing machines at \$11.50, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00, \$27.00 and \$35.00, any style, any price, with a guarantee for ten years.

## Men's Furnishings.

Shirts, Hosiery, Underwear, Ties, Hats, Collars, Cuffs, &c. Don't miss seeing our line of Neelgee Shirts, they are grand.

## Furniture.

Parlor Suits, Side Boards, Folding Beds, Rockers, Dining Chairs, Extension and Center Tables, Easels, Solid Cotton Mattresses, &c.

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